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Democratic Ticket.

For President in 1901; JUDGE ALTON B. PARKER, of New York.

We are authorized to announce J. W. PERRY,

as a candidate for the Legislature, to represent the counties of Law-rence and Boyd, subject to the action of the Republican party.

For Circuit Judge: S. G. KINNER,

For Commonwealths Attorney JOHN M. WAUGH,

Title in the Way.

Representative Kehoe and Representative-elect Hopkins, of Kentoday to ask that the work of improving the Big Sandy river in accordance with the rivers and barbors act of the last session, be begun as early as possible. They were informed that the delay in letting the contract has caused by the inability of the department to obtain clear titles to the land .-Washington telegram to Courier-

This refers to the contracts for the new locks in both Tug and Levisa rivers, a few miles above Louisa, for which money was appropriated last year. The Big Sandy people are very auxious that the contracts be let at the earliest possible moment. Some official or officials are not doing their utmost to push this matter along. Con demnation proceedings should have been under way some time ago. The delay seems to be with the legal department.

Maps for Public Schools

Representative Kehoe, of this district, has introduced a bill in Congress directlng the Secretary of the Interior to have printed and mounted 250,000 of the large wall maps of the United States and possessions, similar to those distributed by members of the House, for distribution carong the public free schools of the country. This is a backed up all the little branches so that very valuable and much-sought it was difficult to get to Fallsburg. after public document, and it is the | Eunice Grady and John Brown, res desire of Mr. Kehoe to place one dents of Huntington, were married at on the walls of every house in Ironton Thursday, and came here to America. If the bill becomes a law visit her father. Richard Grady, who the Secretary of the Interior will lives on the Helen Loar farm. be required to furnish one of the in America and the printing and last week he moved back to Albert Copmounting of the maps would cost ley's place. the Government about \$125,000. But Mr. Kehoe thinks it would be and the river are being rented to people money well and properly expend- that want to work on the R. R. on the Mr. Kehoe will vigorously press his measure during the remainder of the session and in the next Congress and he believes it will ultimately become a law.

The President has called special session of the United States Senate, and it met the 5th.

The question of Gov. Beekham's eligibility to re-election is to be settled by putting the matter into the courts and carrying the case to the Court of Appeals.

Delinquent taxpayers may be compelled to work out their in- dy river and the steamboats are debtedness on the streets and pub- plentiful. lie roads, and the officers should tion bas ever been paid to it.

A little effort of the part of the girls at Joe Roberts; a girl at A. people of the Big Sandy towns Daniel's; a boy at John Porter's; would secure the establishment of girl at Tom Fannins, and one at some rural free delivery routes. John Isaacs. He told us of anoth-We are allowing other sections to get ahead of us in this matter. No name. The man that claims that are back home. such improvement in mail service | the globe is about to be over popuhas been made in many years as lated has some good proof in favor are mining this is. Nothing is too good for of his argument. Big Sandy. Let's have rural free delivery.



Let Big Sandy people encourage the development that has just be gon in the valley.

It is to be hoped our farmers of sickn will prepare products for exhibit in the Kentucky display at the St. ered that he was able to attend the

The Big Sandy River Improve-

YATESVILLE

earthstone. They were Mrs. Andrew looked. Justice, of our own neighborhood, on Misses Genie and Lora Picklesimes the Fallsburg cemetery. Both were a success

nce our last report. Several members of John Yates family to be hoped that in this arena she will land Independent.

Mrs. J. B. Riffe, wife of our telephone nan, is on the sick list.

The roads are in a horrible shape. as the way completely blockaded.

The recent high water has also washed the bottom sills from under the bridge crossing Edmonds branch and it is said that the bridge is in a very dangerous condition. Here is a chance tucky, saw the Chief of Engineers for some man to get a small job of work and a nice little claim allowed.

Country Greenhorn

OLIOVILLE.

The death of Miss Venie Woods. aughter of John Woods, occurred last Thursday. We are sorry to lose her. The sick child of J. B. Large is much

Jerry Large and Geo. Brown have sold their farms and will move in the expected to live but a short time near future I. B. and Jerry Large will go to Ash-

Grant Cooksey has been trading

Andy Kitchen will farm with Grant Harkless May visited Jennie Newsom

Wallace Large will farm with Mose Eugene Large has purchased a fine

G. C. Combs will go to Logan county Henry Taylor passed through her ast week peddling garden seed. We

wish him well. John and Henry Burton have bought Collins picture gallery and will go in busines

Harvey May is still in the hickory job.

FALLSBURG

For a while last week Blaine was to high for the mill to run, and water was

Johnny Elkins, who has been living

maps to each school district. There three years, moved up near Busseyville are about 250,000 public free schools recently, but soon got dissatisfied and

All the vacant houses between here W. Va. side. The last we heard of Lee Crank his

prother Frank was going to take him o his home and take care of him. Win. Savage is busy taking option on all the land in this country for what

nineral there is in it. The weather is nice and pleasant and ooks so much like spring that people they will put corn in, and there are a number longing for the time to come when they can quit feeding fodder.

WHITEHOUSE.

Fellx Grimsley, the hog merenforce this law. But little atten- chant, shipped a car load from here has charge of his farm. yesterday.

Dr. John Swetnam reports twin farm er one but we have forgotten the

Our people are having their coal hauled on wagons from Greasy creek at a cost of twenty cents per

oushel. W. Pinson, of Pikeville, and Mr. Bowen, of Huntington, called on ur merchants yesterday.

John Sagraves, one of Big Sandy's popular drummers, was here Tuesday. On account of high water we have had no mail from Prestous-

burg this week. J. L. Hibbard, of Peach Orchard, has been here working for a com-

Jeff Stafford, of River, is clerking a John Woods' store here. Timothy Winkle

Honey of Eucaly tus and White Pine, best remedy known for oughs, 25c at A. M. Hughes'.

BUSSEYVILLE.

Mrs. Johns Thompson is gaining strong h rapidly since here severe spel

Uncle David Jordan has so far recov Louis World's Fair. We can down Wednesday. He is applying for an increase in his pension, and his physical condition shows him to be greatly in need of it.

restigate the delay in contracting has been given full control of the G. R. service. the Big Sandy river work for which Roberts farm on Deephole branch and money was appropriated last year. will move there soon. Mr. Roberts will The trouble seems to be with the leave for the State of Washington a large farm there. So much for Big

Milton M. Burgess, the genial 250 pound postmaster of Wilbur, showed nantle of mourning around many a for we had almost forgotten how he

he 25th ult., age 30, and Miss Etta entertained quite a number of their Shortridge, of the Catt neighborhood, young friends Tuesday evening in au whose death occurred on the 26th ult. elegant manner. Up-to-date amuse Mrs. Justice was buried at the Riffe ments were enjoyed, refreshments servemetery by the side of her baby that ed. and an exceedingly enjoyable even had just preceded her one week. Miss ing was spent by all present. The girls shortridge's remains were interred in know how to make an affair of this kind ceny.

highly respected and loved by all who Miss Sue Holt is taking lessons in the knew them. The bereaved have our science of fortune telling, having employed a lady specialist in this line from The amount of sickness has increased the extreme southeastern corner of the outstrip all the "Gypsy beggars" who travel all the public thoroughfares

ow here and at the bank of Blaine. It friends, and he takes the good wishes new Department of Commerce. of all for his success.

Buckskin Bess. CHARLEY

Died, recently, of consumption, nucle John Scarberry.

Lark Holbrook, who recently moved his family about four miles above here. arose last Monday morning early to do his day's labor, but along in the day began feeling bad, and before sun down he died. Heart trouble was the cause of his death.

News has just reached here that the clothing of Jesse George's little daugh- tucky, ter caught on fire and before it could be extinguished was burned off. She i Miss Alafair Bowling has returned t

Seattle. Roscoe Burton, Stant Miller and Box ders Mead left Saturday for Columbus.

Lizzie Carter visited at Busseyville Born, to H. S. Dean and wife, on the 28th, a boy.

Sheridan Chapman visited relatives ere this week. ast week.

Our school is still progressing J. D. Burton has the frame of W. M. Chapman's residence up.

day and Sunday by Revs. Sowards and Mart Moore and wife left last week

for Columbus, Ohio, on a visit to rela-

Wallace Vanhoose has moved into the

house vacated by Beatter Spencer. Spencer lived. J. D. Burton moved into the J. B.

Hurrah for Big Sandy. Blue Hawk.

KETURAH

Died, at the home of V. D. Harmo on the 20th ult., Ettie, daughter of Mrs. honr, but was truly redeemed to Christ | accident. and shouted loud His praises and died in peace. Her remains were interred in

Rev. A. Harmon and wife entertain ed Rev. D. K. Leslie one day last week. Messrs. Hall and Ramey are doing a good business on Poor House Branch. J. E. Scott has gone back to his old ome for his health. His son-in-law

Mr. Riley has been improving his The Haws and Short boys are saw

James and Rev. Cassady have gon poplar timber. R.L. Barrett and the Shortridge Bros

Short Ferguson and Martin Shortridge

Ramey and Thompson have sold their timber to Mr. James. Brumfield Rice and Browning May tre getting ready for farming. Jones. Sexton and Cassaely are hav-

Preaching here the 3d San day by Rev. The saw mill will leave here soon

DRINKING TOO MUCH.

SICK HEADACHE and nervousness which follows. the appetite and remove gloo-logs. Elegantly sugar conted. Take No Substitute.

The Court of Appeals has reverseo the case of Williamson vs Dills,

Mail Clerk Alvin Powell is again nent Association is trying to in- It is reported that Thomas J. Pigg result is that we are having better heavy.

how to operate the engine.

were serving a term for grand lar-belongs to Fell & Shouse.

able on account of a landslide just be- Illinois During his stay be made many clerkship or solicitorship of the in town.—Ashland Independent. This afternoon Deputy Sheriff

Ulysses Bailey, fifty-five years old, in their ground floor offices in the tice. of Yocum, this county, was killed Huffman Block. New floors and by a saw log while working in a large rear windows have been put John C. C. Mayo, of Paintsville, saw log woods. He leaves a widow in. The wood work has been re- at the Grand, has brought more and a large family of children.

Hopkins, of Prestousburg, success- game. The second floor will con- rate of assessment the County Suor to Mr. White, of the Tenth dis- tain the general offices as at pres- pervisors have put upon undeveltrict, a lawyer of prominence, is at ent.-Pikeville Independent. the Riggs, in Washington, making daily visits to the House .- Courier-

isr Catlettsburg and Paintsviile son's name to checks on the Pike-Leorporations that are coming into packet, has changed owners. Isaac ville Bank and passed them at the state are willing to pay upon a Ward, Daniel Wheeler, and R. V. Wise, Va., and Lexington. The fair valuation after it is establish-Nickol, purchased the interest of forger has never been positively ed, but they don't believe they the Stafford Brothers, thereby be- identified, but Mr. Bowles thinks ought to be squeezed right on the coming sole owners.

Rev. Marion Moore, of Msssouri, that weighed forty-nine pounds, It preached an interesting sermon here killed three valuable dogs before. The following item is evidently Davis Spencer and wife visited their giving up from exhaustion. It has incorrect in some particulars, but been sold alive to a man in Iron- we are unable to get other details:

The Grayson Herald says: George Rupert has returned from Sandy river yesterday afternoon, college some time ago. He said of Blaine, Lawrence county, and sethey had "too much negro" there riously injured Tom Farragur and Morehead Normal.

An unknown man was killed by when the explosion occurred with C. & O. train at No. 8 mines, near terrific force, throwing him at least Louise Shortridge, of consumption. She Ashland. On the same day Pat lifty feet in the air, the body alightwas brought there January. Her suf- Holmes, a thirteen-year-old Ash- ing in the edge of the water. When fering was intense, especially a day or land boy, lost a leg under the picked up it was found that his neck two before her death, and, like many wheels of a freight train. The day and both legs were broken. The in- Portsmouth. of our young people, she neglected her before Leon Hackworth, aged ten jured men it is thought will not V. B. Shortridge was here last week soul's best eternal welfare until a late years, was the victim of a similar recover."

The Court of Appeals has sfirmthe cemetery at Fallsburg. Rev. R. ed the judgment of the Johnson are beginning to talk about what field H.Cassady, of the M.E.Church, officiat- Circuit Court rendered in the case of the White House Cannel Coal Mr. Beetal and Mr. Roberts have rereturned from Greenbrier where they Cannel Coal Company. This gives Adams, of Paintsville, Johnson were looking after some lumber and the White House Company two or county, Ky. The petition, which three acres of valuable coal land was forced by the Ashland Hardover which the two companies had ware Company, D. A. Leffingwell been in dispute for some time.

her. He died the next afternoon. Ashland last night for service."

Campton, Ky., Feb. 28,-About

wrist and a slight cut in the tem- the men now on a strike. ple. He had come in from Quincy, and was enroute to Louisa to visit for the protection of the nonunion pectel back here tonight. A fine supper relatives and look after some real men, extra electric lights and arm- and a host of friends await them. estate matters.—Ashian I indepen el guards being placed about the

Accommodation train No. 3 ran | Eiba S, Ulen, a printer from Cat-next week,

Tuesday morning at Russell, kill- many years ago, died at Colorado OUR NEIGHBORS. Ing conductor Henry Davis and Springs last week of consumption brokeman C. C. Miller, of the

Fred Rose, an Ashland boy, who was riding in the freight caboose, seriously injured.

The engineer of the passenger charge, handling the Big Sandy mail on was slightly bruised by jumping. the trains of this division, and the The damage to the trains is

Further information concerning United States Attorneys whose about April 1st. His son Burnam owns train near Ashland last week was ty, says gas is e-caping in great vot-Alfred Bledsoe, who lived near umes and cannot be checked. An repaired it as soon as possible. expert from the oil fields of Sisterville, W. Va, is here to decide on Vanceburg has a new \$2,000 fire some means by which to stop the by Judge Barker, affirmed the Two deaths have occurred in this and his familiar face here the first of the engine. The Sun says it has never flow. Isaac Shouse and W. R. Boyd Circuit Court in the case of he Cat neighborhood that has cast a week. We were real glad to see him been tested, a fire company has not Stevens, oil men of Salt Lick, had John Riddle vs. Carrie Fannin, and been organized and nobody knows their hair and beard burned off by others, holding that Fred Fannin, a match lighted by Stevens. by reason of his lunacy,did not lose Officers have received word to by off and they narrowly escaped should be permitted to relain contook out for Charlie Griffy and a fatal injuries. The gas has no odor trol of such property as was excompanion who broke jail at Sandy and can be heard roaring in the empt by law, Hook last week. The two men well to a half a mile. The well

C. D. Langhorn, E. T. Morris, T. horse theft Albert Pack, of John-Engineer Bolivar Wesley, who I. Cabell, J. A. Briggs, C. Y. Ligon, son County, simulated insanity, was badly injured in a wreck on F. H. Herring, Ed Reyburn, and was adjudged a lunatic and comthe Big Sandy division of the C. & M. O. Hankins (accompanied by mitted to the asylum in this city. O. eleven months ago, was able to Mrs. Hankins and Miss G. Ligon), He became confidential with an the extreme southeastern corner of the state, is making splendid success. It is make his first run yesterday. Ash- all connected with the O. & B. S. inmate and told that he was feignextension work up Big Sandy, ing. Superintendent Redwine It is understood to have been came down from Prestonsburg, Sat- was informed and investigated. ravel all the public thoroughfares.

Erat Chapman, who has been so well definitely settled that John W. urday, and several of them went Pack was found to be sane, and and favorably known here for some Langley, formerly of Prestonsburg, on to Richmond, Va., for a visit the authorities of Johnson County The one leading to Fallsburg is impass- time, returned this week to his home in Ky., is to be given either the chief with home folks. Others are still were notified to come for him.

West Liberty, Ky., Feb. 27 .- making extensive improvements ing a horse from Miss Lucy Jus-

For the past year there were 207 papered. In the rear a large two- state to develop the coal and timconvictions and 14 acquittals under story fire-proof brick vault has ber lands. He has bought over internal revenue laws and 11 con- been constructed. In it will be 300,000 acres of land for the Northpostal laws in Uncle Sam's Court maps, plots and other papers of has already paid out over \$2,000,000.

> matter of the man who posed as value. Coal lands are being assesshe is a party for Martin county, start; in fact, before they get to

W. rattroad extension, up the Big Beren, where he went to attend brought death to John Coverston, for him. He left Tuesday for Wm. Newcomb, both of near Nau-Miller, was badly burned Sunday, but Morehead, where he will attend the gatuck. The fuse had been lighted, is getting along well. and being slow about turning, Coverston attempted to relight it

The following is from the Cincin-

nati Enquirer: "An involuntary petition in bankruptcy was filed in the Feder-& Co., of Ashland, and Hutsinpil- in Kinner's store after a few days' sicklar & Sheridan, of Ironton, O., al-John Elam and wife, of Olive leges that he oxes more than \$1,-Hill, died of typhold fever, the lat- 000, and on the affidavit of Hutsinter dying one evening and the for- pillar and a member of the Ashmer the next evening. They were land Hardware Company, a warburied in the same grave. As the rant was issued for his arrest, it remains of his wife were being tak- being charged that he was about en from the room the husband told to leave the state. The warrant them to wait for him; that it was made returnable before this down the river on a raft of walnut and would not be long until he joined court forthwith, and was sent to Meredith last week.

Ashland, Ky., February 28 .- The forty persons will leave this county first blood was shed in this city of a house last week and was badly Monday for the Indian Territory, in the labor trouble. When a hurt. There are four ugly cuts on his where they go to register their party of nonunion men called for face. claims as members of the Choctaw drinks the bartender said he had tribe of Indians. About 300 per- nothing to sell them. Words fol-Jones. Sexion and Caston and Sand Sons from this and adjoining counting a time carrying the mail.

Mr. Fannin, of Little Catt, passed up ties have registered since January one man on the head with a bung his arm.

Tagter, inflicting a serious injury.

Jue St. l, all claiming to be descendants starter, inflicting a serious injury.

of John Harper,a Mississippi Choc- Men are quartered at the mill tonight, where cots have been He has rented it as a feeding ground an placed. Rumors of an at'ack on til spring Dr. J. W. Berry, of Quincy, and the mill to night, are considered Edward Bellomy and James Jordan a cousin of Dr. W. A. Berry, of this groundless both by the company were here Tuesday. They leave Fricity, was struck by a Camden In- and the leaders of the strike. The day for the north, where they have a er-State car at the 13th street mill will start up Monday, and the Contract for work. ressing about 7 o'clock this morn- Company states that the men will og, and sustained a sprained work under the old agreement of

> The company has made provision been heard of them, but they are exmill.

into an east-bound freight train lettsburg who worked in Louisa

The new Western Union Telegraph extension from Whitehouse to Paintsville is not yet in operahad a leg cut off and was otherwise tion, but will be soon. Frank Wallace, Jr., of Louisa, will be in

A break in the gas main near Savage Branch Tuesday morning left the people of the cities below there without fires for several known man killed by the C. & O. the gas well at Salt Lick, bath coun-

> The Kentucky Appellate Court, Shouse's clothing was burned near. his property, and that the wife

Lexington, Ky., February 28 .-To escape prosecution for alleged Ashley Ward took Pack, a prison-The Northern Coal & Coke Co., is er, to answer the charge of steal-

painted and the walls beautifully capital into the eastern part of his victions and two acquittals under stored the unmensely valuable ern Coal & Coke Company, which

for the Eastern District of Ken. the Company. The first floor will "A new trouble confronts us after be occupied by the Engineering our years of labor to get a move on and Drafting Department, in us in the rich oil, timber and cost Congressman-elect Frank A. charge of Chief Engineer Burlin. of our state," said he. "The high oped Isads, prospective values, which may retard the tide of cap!-J. C. Bowles, cashier of the Pike- tal that has been pouring into the ville National Bank, and B. F. state. I see where a piece of prop-Rev. Geo. O. Barnes, the moun- Johnson, a prosperous merchant of crty in litigation which has never tain evangelist, contemplates hold- Pike county, were in Ashland this been developed in the least, has ing a revival at Paintsville. He morning and left on train No. 22 at been assessed at \$500,000, because is now at Mt. Sterling. From there 10:45 for Lexington. They are lands near by have been producers he goes to Jackson, then to Sal- called there to appear before the of oil, This is purely taxation Jerome Dean visited relatives here yersville and later on will visit Fayette county grand jury in the upon undemonstrateCor supposed

"B. F. Johnson" and "J. W. Chaf- ed at the purchase price that are The steamer Thealka, the regu- fins," and who forged Mr. John- not yet developed. The outside

The recent rains did damage in our neighborhood. It washed Joe Edward's Jr., house away.

Greenup, Ky., Feb. 28.—John Henderson and Charles Tisdale Captured a wildcat south of town golden egg."

Walker Harris and George Canada have moved to Greenup. We are sorry

o lose them. Oliver Curnutte has moved from the Isaac Bolt place to the Curnutte farm on Mill branch. Grace, the 2-year-old child of Lizzie

John Bentley visited relatives here Sonday

Edward Bellomy was here this week twenty-two head of cattle dehorned last Mrs. Rachel Pyles has returned from

to see his daughter. Mrs. Maggie Meredith, who has been very sick with typhold fever. The gas line is blocked. They have

Lewis Atkins, Steve Curnutte's heirs Miss Victoria Stedhem will visit be arents in Ashland this week.

all the rights of way bought except

Mrs. Sne Bellomy was in our neigh borhood Tuesday. Mr. Stewart has resumed his duties

Owing to bad weather the protracted seeting has closed attBuchanan Chapel. John and Harmon Billups have gone

A business man from n a: Loui a was our vicinity Friday trying to buy Misses Bird Curnutte and Lillie Mer

shon visited their sick consin. Maggie Henry Biggs was visiting his aunt Thadison Chaffin fell from the steps

Mrs. Jean Curnutte visited the sick in W. Va. Friday. John Meredith, of West Va., fell from

a load of fodder Monday and dislocated attle to the old Deering farm Tuesday,

Norm Massie, a fine ye Hubbardstown, eloped to Ohio with the pretty daughter of Mr. Jennings, of Hurricane, Monday. Nothing has

Mrs. Maggie Neal Meredith died o typhoid fever last Saturday, age 19. A more extended notice will be given

WATCH

This space next week for Bargains.

Our new Spring Line of Dry Goods and Notions is now enroute and we must make room for it-all old stock must go at any price.

Apropos of our new goods---there may be larger stocks shown in Louisa, but ours is one in which every pattern is an exclusive one and the acme of the textile art.

The Eloise Improvement Co.,

Louisa, Kentucky,

Jay H. Northup, F. T. D. Wallace, John M. Moore,

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Are all invited by Mr. Ed. S. Hughes to send to his retail shoe house in Ashland for what they need in footwear, or better still, to call in person when down there. Select line of ladies', gents' and childrens' shoes, the best the market affords. All widths and

sizes. Mail orders given special attention. Mattheson-Hughes Shoe Co., Ashland, - Kentucky,

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We are in position to furnish to our patrons

Emerald Flour at \$4.65,

Old Gold Flour at \$4.15.

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Bale Hay, first class, at ooc per 100-lbs.

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Get the Real Thing.

There is caster oil that is castor oil, and then there is "castor oil" that is not castor oil. The real thing is made from the castor bean, and the cheaper article is extracted from cotton seed. One "reaches the spot" and the other doesa't. If you don't believe it, try a dose of each. The cheaper article is the one usually sold at general stores, and at some drug stores. We sell only the pure, genuine article.

Same way with other DRUGS.

There are substitutes and adulterations almost throughout the line. Buy where you can get pure goods.

A. M. HUGHES, Louisa, Kentucky.